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DEEMED UNIVERSITY STATUS TO COLLEGES
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Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the procedures laid down for granting status to the colleges as deemed University; and

(b) the number of colleges which have been declared as deemed University in the country, till date, State-wise?

Answer

Minister of State in the Ministry of Human Resource Development (Shri Syed Shahnawaz Hussain)

(a) The UGC has recently revised its guidelines for considering the proposals of the Institutions for granting deemed to be university status. The procedure followed for granting deemed to be university status is as under :-

(i) submission of proposal by the concerned institution to the Ministry of Human Resource Development in the prescribed proforma ;

(ii) forwarding of proposal by the Ministry to the UGC for its comments / recommendations;

(iii) forwarding of proposal by the UGC to AICTE, MCI or any other relevant statutory authority for their approval of academic programme(s);

(iv) obtaining views of the State Government on the proposal by the UGC;

(v) constituting an Expert Committee by the UGC and deputing it for inspection of the Institution and submission of its report;

(vi) examination of the report of the Expert Committee by UGC and submission of its recommendations to the Ministry of HRD for consideration; and

(vii) decision by the competent authority in the Ministry of HRD regarding grant of deemed to be university status and issue of notification declaring an institution as deemed to be university.

(b) Forty seven Institutions have been declared deemed to be universities in the country. Their State-wise break-up is as under :-

1.	Andhra Pradesh 3	9.	Punjab 1
2.	Bihar 1	10.	Rajasthan 4
3.	Gujarat 2	11.	Tamilnadu 5
4.	Haryana 1	12.	Uttar Pradesh 6
5.	Jharkhand 2	13.	Uttaranchal 2
6.	Karnataka 3	14.	West Bengal 1
7	Madhya Pradesh 1	15.	Delhi 6
8.	Maharashtra 1		